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NOTICE

ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE (EDI) FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS

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The Tennessee Workers' Compensation Division is accepting Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) for First Reports of Work Injury (FROI) and is currently testing the subsequent reports (SROI) Notice of First Pay, Notice of Denial, Change/Termination of Benefits and Final Payment. The standard used for implementation is the International Association of Industrial Accidents Boards and Commissions (IAIABC) Implementation Guide for Release 1.

The Division is currently piloting with Cambridge Integrated Services Group Inc. Other carriers are being added on a voluntary basis. Effective July 1, 2003, filing electronically will become mandatory.

The IAIABC standard First Report of Work Injury Form which Tennessee must use for EDI purposes contains a field that will identify the First Report as medical only or loss time. Therefore, Tennessee Form C21, Monthly Report of Non-compensable Injuries, will be phased out through the implementation of FROI. As a result, the IAIABC First Report of Work Injury Form will be filed with the Tennessee Workers' Compensation Division for both loss time and medical only claims.

A list of vendors that can assist in the processing and transmission of EDI Claims in Tennessee is attached. Please contact Bonnie Hudgens at 615-532-2731 or email at Bonnie.Hudgens@state.tn.us to receive the Trading Partner Agreement, Edit Matrix and other information needed to implement EDI Claims.

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ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE RESOURCES

This list should not be considered an endorsement for the companies listed nor should it be considered a complete list.

Telephonic Reporting Quality Resource Management LLC	Nita Chisari	615-325-4298
Online Reporting Insurance Services Office Inc Red Oak E-Commerce	Larry Gross Pat Cannon	609-799-1800 1-866-363-4297
Third Party Adjustment Cambridge Integrated Services Group Inc	Michelle Gullick	614-436-7988
Value Added Network (VAN) IVANS		1-800-548-2675
EDI Products and Services Insurance Services Office Inc	Larry Gross	609-799-1800
Bridium Inc. Red Oak E-Commerce	Peter Govek Pat Cannon	920-451-9777 1-866-363-4297

Documentation required for EDI implementation:

EDI Implementation Guide for Release I can be obtained from the IAIABC at www.iaiabc.org
EDI Trading Partner Agreement, Edit Matrix, etc. can be requested from Bonnie.Hudgens@state.tn.us